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Alloy Type Thermal Fuse and Wire Member for A Thermal Fuse Element

## AFTER ALLOWANCE REQUEST FOR CONTINUED **EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114**

This is a request under 37 CFR 1.114 for continued examination (RCE) of the above identified pending application in response to the Notice of Allowance. The issue fee has been paid. Enclosed are the following in support of the request under 37 C.F.R. 1.114:

- A Petition to Withdraw From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. §1.313. [X]
- A Decision granting applicants' Petition to Withdraw From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. §1.313.
- [ ] An Amendment.
- A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A and cited references. [X]
- New formal drawings.
- Other: Copy of European Search Report dated December 1, 2003 for Application No. []

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The following fees are enclosed:

- RCE fee of \$395.00 required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). [X]
- [X] Petition fee of \$130.00 required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

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- [ ] Extension of time fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_.00
- [ ] Additional claim fees of &@ for excess claims submitted in the enclosed Amendment, calculated as follows:

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TOTAL		(-)	or 20		x9		x18	
INDEP.		(-)	or 3		x44		x88	
[ ] 1st PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+\$150		+\$300	
			***		TOTAL		TOTAL	

- [X] Firm check(s) totaling \$525.00 is enclosed herewith.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 210844.0027) as noted below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - [X] Any overpayments or deficiencies in the above-calculated fee(s).
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  - [ ] Additional claim fee(s) in the amount of \$\_\_\_.00 as calculated above.
  - [X] Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17.
- [X] In the event that a Petition for Extension of Time is required, but not enclosed, please charge any extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to our Deposit Account noted above.

Respectfully submitted,

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